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The Main

# Characters

## GOLD

A passionate but rash protagonist. He finally awakens and meets Chris.

## SILVER

After escaping from the masked man, he has vowed to seek revenge!

## YELLOW

In the midst of investigating the gigantic bird Pokémon, he was swept off with the whirl!!

## CHRIS

She's the Pro when it comes to capturing Pokémon. Her mission is to collect data for the new Pokédex!

PIKA & CHUCHU

Gym Leaders of the Towns and Cities

# The story so far

...ament of the Gym Leaders is ...ing! But at the same time, the ...d man is leading the new Team ...t to Indigo Plateau! Gold and Chris ...by Professor Oak) are also there ...mission. Now's the time when ...cross and the final battle is ...ible!!

## THE MASKED MAN (MASK OF ICE)

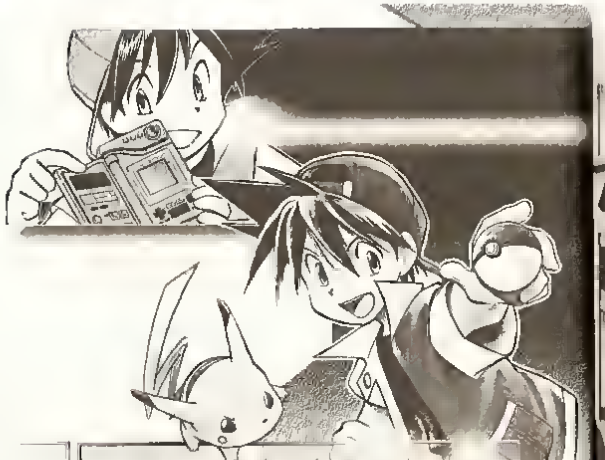
This mysterious man has his selfish reasons for consolidating the old Team Rocket!

## CHERMAINE & KEANE

Trained since young by the masked man, both of them hold important posts within Team Rocket.

## TEAM ROCKET MEMBERS

POCKET MONSTER



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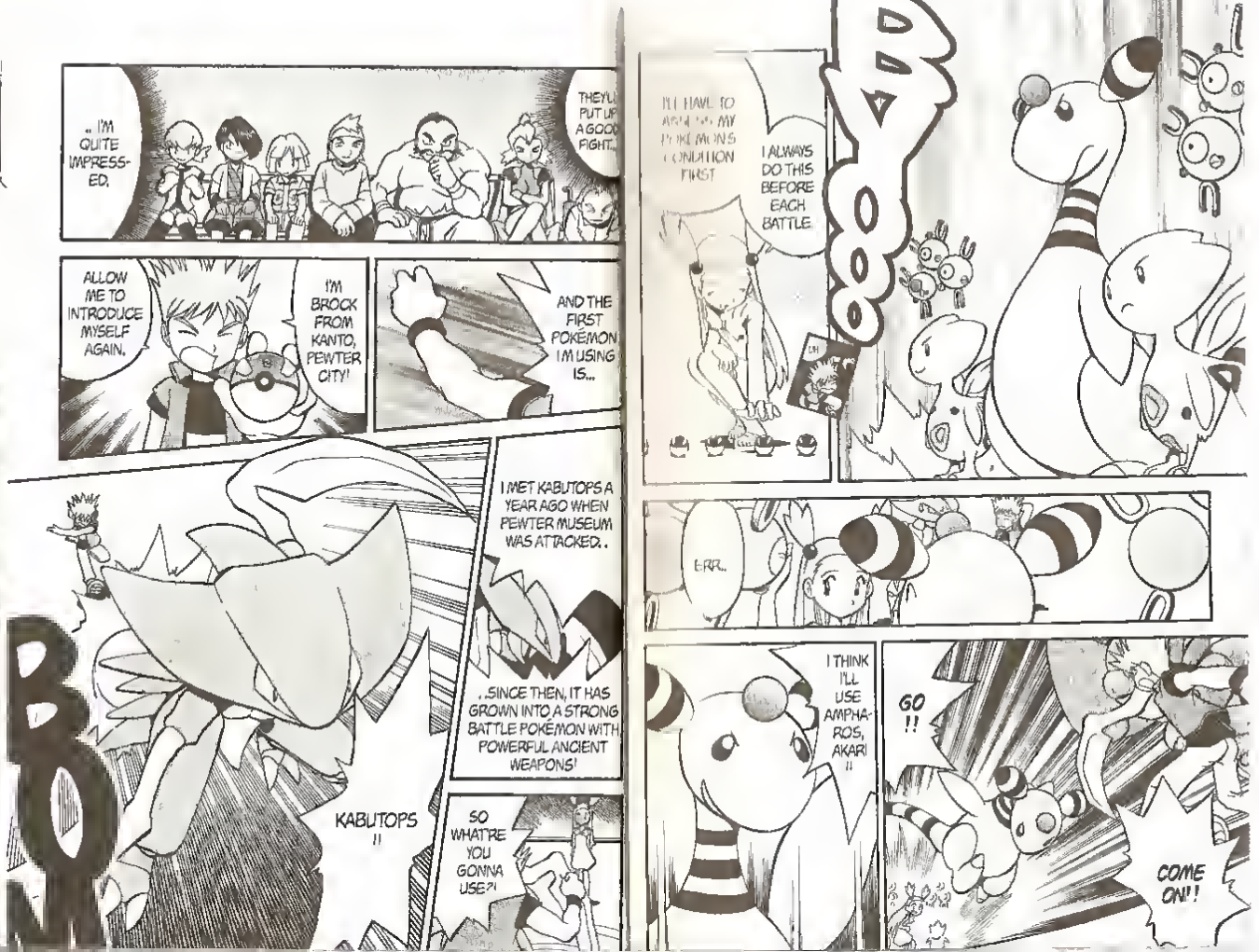
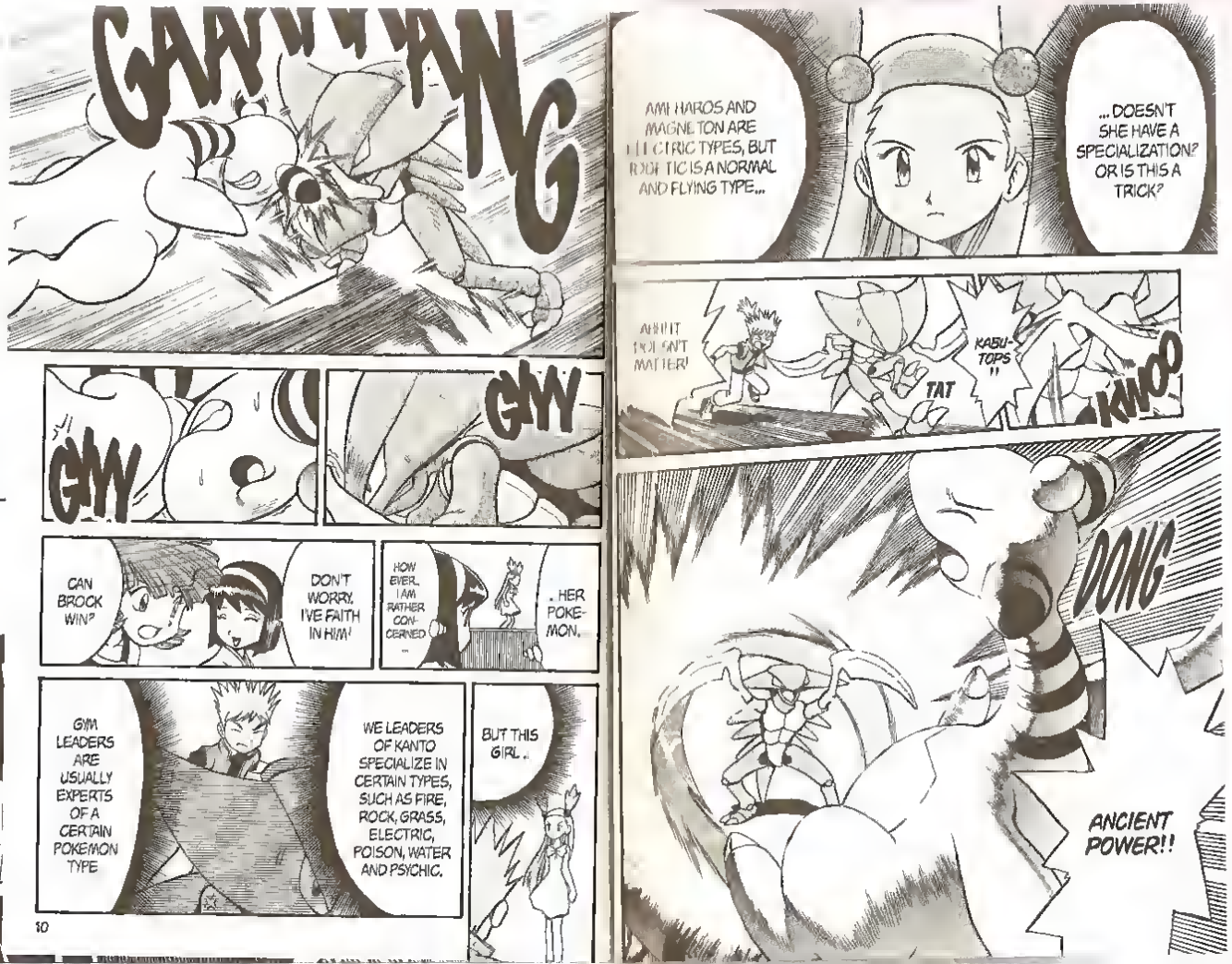
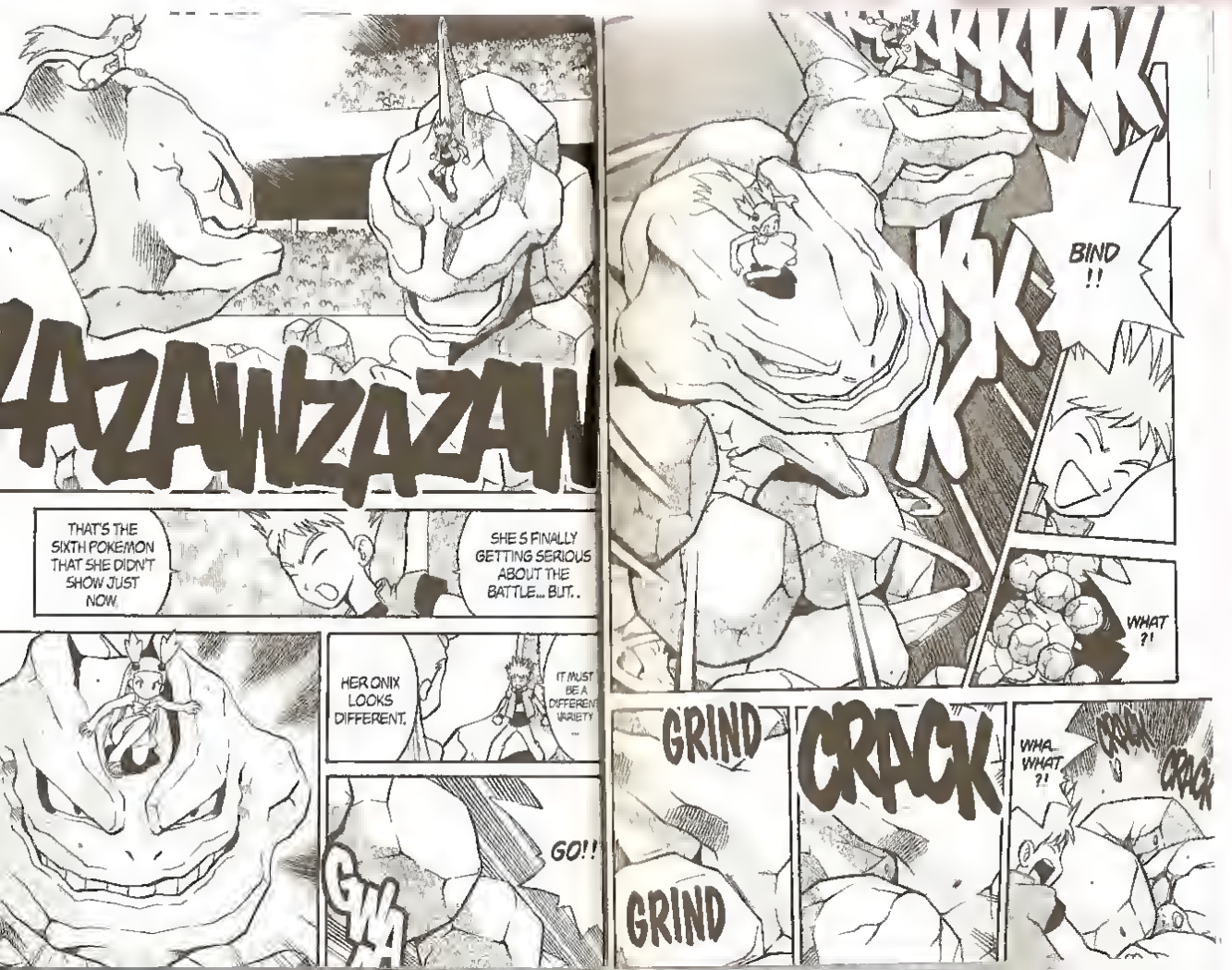
# CHAPTER 155
# HEADS ON KABUTOPS!

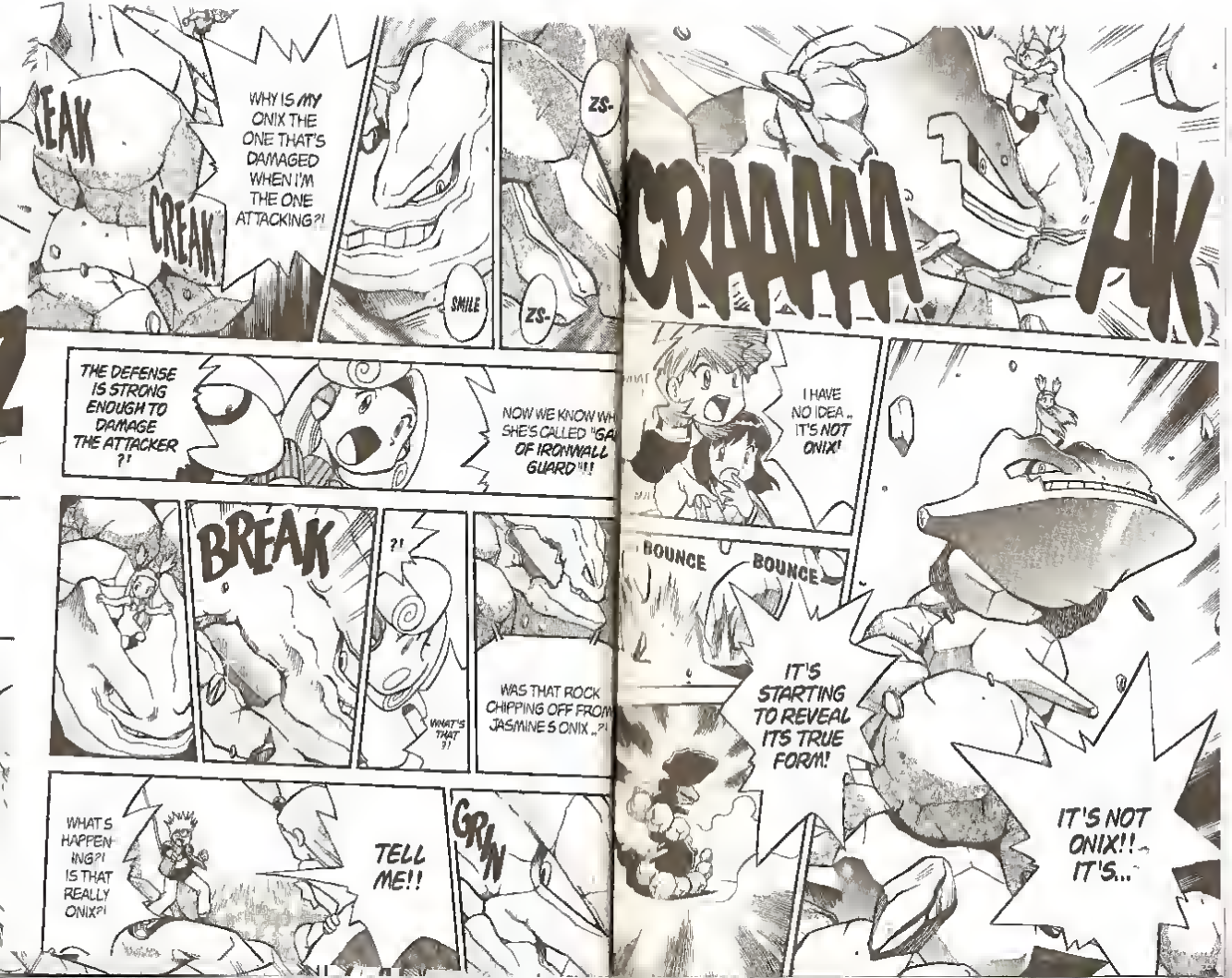

THIS IS THE FIRST TIME I'M MEETING A JOHTO LEADER
WE WERE SEPARATED AT THE DORM IN GOLDENROD AND IN THE TRAIN
CONSIDERING THAT IT'S OUR FIRST MEETING...


.. I'M QUITE IMPRESSED.
THEY'LL PUT UP A GOOD FIGHT..
ALLOW ME TO INTRODUCE MYSELF AGAIN.
I'M BROCK FROM KANTO, PEWTER CITY!
AND THE FIRST POKÉMON I'M USING IS...
I MET KABUTOPS A YEAR AGO WHEN PEWTER MUSEUM WAS ATTACKED.
..SINCE THEN, IT HAS GROWN INTO A STRONG BATTLE POKÉMON WITH POWERFUL ANCIENT WEAPONS!
KABUTOPS !!
SO WHAT'RE YOU GONNA USE?!
I'LL HAVE TO ASSESS MY POKÉMON'S CONDITION FIRST.
I ALWAYS DO THIS BEFORE EACH BATTLE.
ERR..
I THINK I'LL USE AMPHAROS, AKARI !!
GO !!
COME ON!!

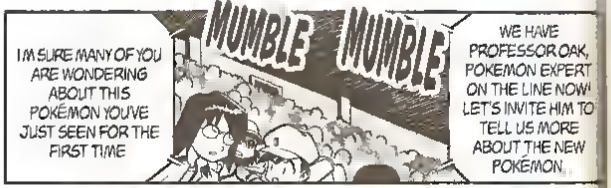

GAAAAAANG
GWW
GWW
CAN BROCK WIN?
DON'T WORRY. I'VE FAITH IN HIM!
HOW EVER, I AM RATHER CON-CERNED ...
. HER POKE-MON.
GYM LEADERS ARE USUALLY EXPERTS OF A CERTAIN POKEMON TYPE
WE LEADERS OF KANTO SPECIALIZE IN CERTAIN TYPES, SUCH AS FIRE, ROCK, GRASS, ELECTRIC, POISON, WATER AND PSYCHIC.
BUT THIS GIRL .
AMI HAROS AND MAGNETON ARE ELECTRIC TYPES, BUT ROCKTIC IS A NORMAL AND FLYING TYPE...
... DOESN'T SHE HAVE A SPECIALIZATION? OR IS THIS A TRICK?
AH! IT DOESN'T MATTER!
TAT
KABU-TOPS !!
KWOO
DONG
ANCIENT POWER!!

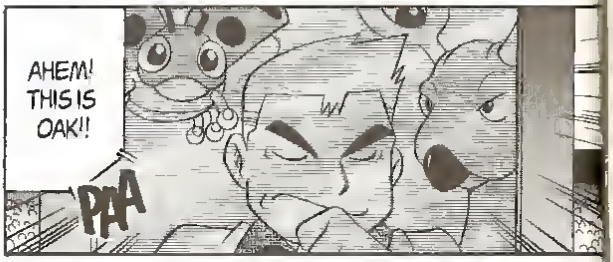
BOUNCE
THAT POWER!!
AS WITH NORMAL LEAGUE GAMES... IF ANY OF THE LEADER'S SIX POKEMON IS DEEMED INCAPABLE OF BATTLE, HE LOSES THE MATCH!!
WAA
WAA
IS THAT AMPHAROS ALRIGHT?
IT LOOKS LIKE AMPHAROS CAN'T TAKE ANOTHER BLOW
POH
AFTER LOOKING AT MY POKÉMON, YOU MUST BE WONDERING ABOUT MY FIELD OF SPECIALIZATION..
... WEREN'T YOU?
ELECTRIC? FLYING? NORMAL?
IT'S NONE OF THE ABOVE IN FACT, I ALSO HAPPEN TO USE ROCK TYPE POKEMON!
CHAA
SIGH
MY TRUMP CARD!!
!!
AN O... ONIX?!
SYYYYY!
IN THAT CASE..
ONIX!!

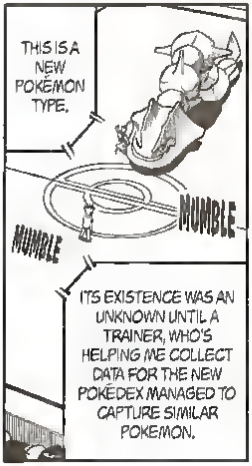

ZAWZAZAW
THAT'S THE SIXTH POKEMON THAT SHE DIDN'T SHOW JUST NOW.
SHE'S FINALLY GETTING SERIOUS ABOUT THE BATTLE... BUT..
HER ONIX LOOKS DIFFERENT.
IT MUST BE A DIFFERENT VARIETY ...
GWA
GO!!
KKKKK
KK
K
BIND !!
WHAT ?!
GRIND
GRIND
CRACK
WHA... WHAT ?!
CRACK
CRACK

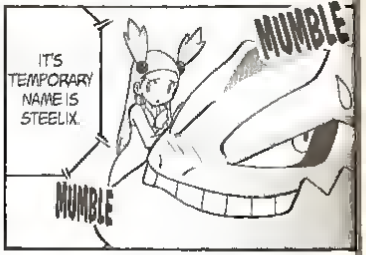

CREAK
WHY IS MY ONIX THE ONE THAT'S DAMAGED WHEN I'M THE ONE ATTACKING?!
SMILE
ZS-
ZS-
CRAAAAA
AK
THE DEFENSE IS STRONG ENOUGH TO DAMAGE THE ATTACKER ?!
NOW WE KNOW WH
SHE'S CALLED "GA
OF IRONWALL GUARD"!!
I HAVE NO IDEA .. IT'S NOT ONIX!
BREAK
?!
WHAT'S THAT ?!
WAS THAT ROCK CHIPPING OFF FROM JASMINE'S ONIX ..?!
BOUNCE
BOUNCE
IT'S STARTING TO REVEAL ITS TRUE FORM!
IT'S NOT ONIX!! IT'S...
WHAT'S HAPPENING?! IS THAT REALLY ONIX?!
TELL ME!!
GRIN

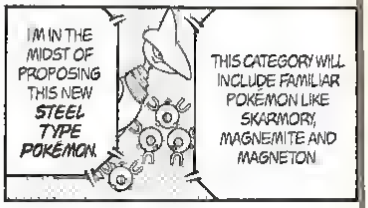
WHAT ?!
CRUNCH ATTACK !!
BITE
RUMBLE
SLAM
...UH!
MY ONIX'S TOO WEAK TO BATTLE...
IT CAN'T BE!!
OHH
BROCK'S ONIX CAN NO LONGER FIGHT!! END OF BATTLE~~!!
THIS IS TOTALLY UNEXPECTED!! THE WINNER IS JASMINE!!
I'VE NEVER SEEN THIS POKEMON BEFORE...
IT LOOKS LIKE ONIX, BUT THAT BODY... IF ONIX IS A ROCK SNAKE THEN THIS IS A METAL SNAKE!
MY NAME IS STEELIX
STEELIX USED TO BE ONIX TOO.
!!
YOU MEAN IT EVOLVED..?! THIS IS ONIX AFTER EVOLUTION?!

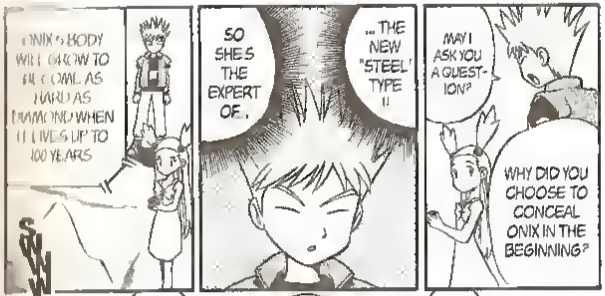

I'M SURE MANY OF YOU ARE WONDERING ABOUT THIS POKÉMON YOU'VE JUST SEEN FOR THE FIRST TIME
MUMBLE MUMBLE
WE HAVE PROFESSOR OAK, POKÉMON EXPERT ON THE LINE NOW! LET'S INVITE HIM TO TELL US MORE ABOUT THE NEW POKÉMON.

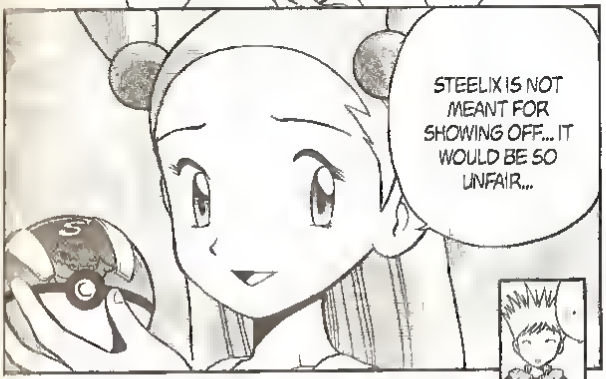

AHEM! THIS IS OAK!!
PAA


THIS IS A NEW POKÉMON TYPE.
MUMBLE
MUMBLE
MUMBLE
ITS EXISTENCE WAS AN UNKNOWN UNTIL A TRAINER, WHO'S HELPING ME COLLECT DATA FOR THE NEW POKÉDEX MANAGED TO CAPTURE SIMILAR POKÉMON.


IT'S TEMPORARY NAME IS STEELIX.
MUMBLE
MUMBLE


I'M IN THE MIDST OF PROPOSING THIS NEW STEEL TYPE POKÉMON.
THIS CATEGORY WILL INCLUDE FAMILIAR POKÉMON LIKE SKARMORY, MAGNEMITE AND MAGNETON.


ONIX'S BODY WILL GROW TO BECOME AS HARD AS DIAMOND WHEN IT LIVES UP TO 100 YEARS.
SO SHE'S THE EXPERT OF...
...THE NEW "STEEL" TYPE !!
MAY I ASK YOU A QUESTION?
WHY DID YOU CHOOSE TO CONCEAL ONIX IN THE BEGINNING?
UM..
WELL.


STEELIX IS NOT MEANT FOR SHOWING OFF... IT WOULD BE SO UNFAIR...

JOHTO
KANTO
JASMINE
BROCK
WHITNEY
MISTY
FALKNER
JANINE
MORTY
LT. SURGE
JOHTO GOES ONE UP AGAINST KANTO!!